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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY**, **JUNE 13**, **2000**, upon the application of **HS RESOURCES**, **INC**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **15,000'** (**formerly Upper Rob 43**) **Zone**, **Reservoir A**, in the Bateman Lake (formerly Sweet Bay Lake) Field, St. Mary Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the 15,000' Zone, Reservoir A.
- 2. To create a single drilling and production unit for the 15,00' Zone, Reservoir A designated as the 15000 RA SUA.
- 3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interest within the units so created on a surface acreage basis of participation.
- 4. To allow the Commissioner of Conservation to reclassify the reservoir by supplemental order, without the necessity of a public hearing, should the producing characteristics of the reservoir change and evidence to justify reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.
- 5. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The 15,000' Zone, in the Bateman Lake Field, St. Mary Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as that gas and condensate bearing zone found between the depths of 14,475' and 15,409' (ELM) in the British American Oil Co. - Terrebonne Unit D-1 No. 1 Well located in Section 23, Township 16 South, Range 13 East and includes the gas and condensate bearing sands as defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 389-B (Ramos Field) and Office of Conservation Order No. 835-D (Sweet Bay Lake Field).

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana. All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 4/25/00;4/28/00 L dpe

IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE CONTACT <u>DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES</u>, <u>PERSONNEL SECTION</u> AT P.O. BOX 94396, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9396 IN WRITING OR BY TELEPHONE (225) 342-2134 BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8:00 A.M. AND 4:30 P.M., MONDAY THRU FRIDAY WITHIN

TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.